

**ESD Laboratory**  
**Material verification**  
**ESD – measurements**  
**Conformity test**



Measurement report No. 99008-202201

**Order:**

Brady Corporation  
6555 W. Good Hope Rd  
Milwaukee, WI 53223

**Verification objects:**

- Brady Printer i7100 ESD,  
verification Object with serial number: 0035502,  
verification carried out on 14.05.2019 with test report number: 99008-192001

**Standard and requirements:**

- IEC DIN EN 61340-5-1/-5-2 and related

**Test set-up:**

Resistance Measurement:

- Electrodes Ø 63,5 mm, conductive rubber, weight 2,5 kg
- Two point electrode, conductive rubber
- Ring electrode, conductive rubber, weight 2,5kg
- Measuring voltage 10V/100 V DC
- Measurement time 15 seconds
- Insulating base  $R_{pp} > 10^{12}$  Ohm

Electrostatic charge and potential:

- Measured with an electrostatic field meter after friction

Charge decay:

- Measurement of the charge decay from +/-1000 Volt to +/-100 Volt
- Insulating base  $R_{pp} > 10^{12}$  Ohm
- Electrodes Ø 63,5 mm, conductive rubber, weight 2,5 kg measured from the housing against the protective earth

**Used ESD measurement instruments:**

Electric field meter EFM120 / Sn.: 22350408  
Tera-Ohmmeter TOM 600 / Sn.: 1780805  
KEINATH SEM 3000/ Sn.: 07500135

**Last calibration:**

04.03.2020  
13.02.2020  
13.02.2020

**Climate Data during the measurement:**

Humidity: 30,0% r.F.  
Temperature: 21° C

**Measurement report and measurement data:**

The Brady Printer i7100 ESD from Brady Corporation was checked for ESD suitability.

In ESD protected areas and in the near of ESDS there are no critical electrostatic potentials and charges allowed. In addition, occurring charges must be discharged via the printer.



**Brady Printer i7100 ESD:**

The conductivity of the printer was checked using the following measurement methods:

- Surface resistance  $R_{pp}$  with two 2,5 kg electrodes, distance 5 to 20 cm
- Surface resistance  $R_s$  with the ring electrode
- Resistance to ground  $R_G$  with a 2,5 kg electrode measured against protective earth
- Decay time measurement from 1000V to 100V measured against protective earth

1. Surface resistance measurement/ point to point  
measured with 2,5 kg electrodes on an insulating base,  
measured in a distance of 5cm to 20cm.

Hinged lid:

$$R_{pp} = 5 \times 10^4 - 1 \times 10^5 \text{ Ohm}$$

Housing:

$$R_{pp} = 1 \times 10^4 - 5 \times 10^4 \text{ Ohm}$$

2. Surface resistance measurement  
Measured with a ring electrode on an insulating base.

Hinged lid:

$$R_s = 2 \times 10^5 \text{ Ohm}$$

Housing:

$$R_s < 1 \times 10^4 \text{ Ohm}$$



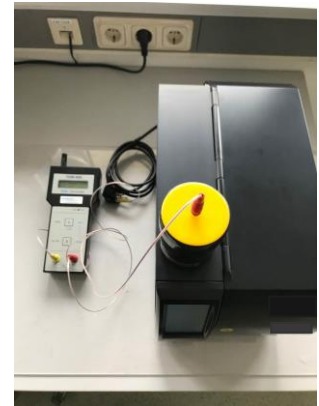
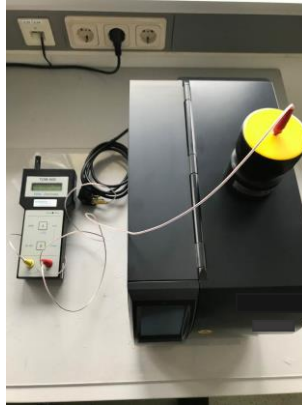
3. Resistance to ground measurement  
measured with a 2,5kg electrode against protective earth.

Hinged lid:

$$R_{GP} = 6 \times 10^4 - 7 \times 10^4 \text{ Ohm}$$

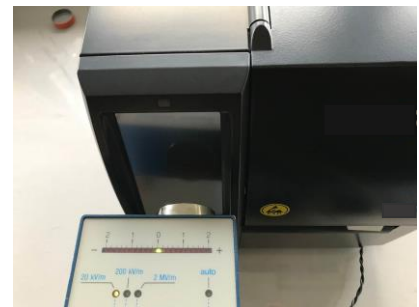
Housing:

$$R_{GP} = 1 \times 10^4 - 3 \times 10^4 \text{ Ohm}$$



4. Electrostatic charge and potential  
measured with an electrostatic field meter.

There is no electrostatic charge on the housing parts and on the printers display, even after friction with a polyester cloth.



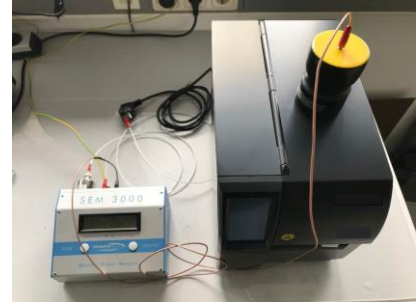
Only the plastics inside the printer are chargeable, but the existing electrostatic fields are shielded by the housing of the printer.



5. Decay time measurement

measured with a 2,5kg electrode against protective earth.

The decay time from +/- 1000V to +/- 100V  
measured against protective earth amounts  
<0,1 seconds.



**Conclusion:**

The checked label printer Brady i7100 ESD is suitable for ESD.

The housing of the printer has a conductive design and is suitably connected to ground via the protective earth.

The checked printer can be used within ESD protected areas and at ESD relevant workplaces.

**Note:**

The electrostatic charge of the printed labels was not taken into account during the check and must be checked and evaluated by the user depending on the labels used and the intended use.

**Terms and abbreviations:**

ESD: Electro Static Discharge

EPA: Electro Static Discharge Protected Area

ESDS: Electro Static Discharge sensitive Device

PE: Protection Earth

$R_G$ : resistance measured to PE

$R_S$ : surface resistance (ring electrode)

$R_{PP}$ : surface resistance point to point measurement (2-Point measurement)

$R_{GP}$ : resistance measured to the EBP (to a grounded point)

EBP: Earth Bonding Point

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